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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of

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Appln. No.: 09/328,893

Group Art Unit: 2155

Confirmation No.: 7430

Examiner: Duong, Oanh L.

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For: MANAGEMENT OF A NETWORK ELEMENT USING MANAGED OBJECTS IN A  
DIGITAL COMMUNICATIONS NETWORK

**PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.136**

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Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.136, Applicant hereby petitions for an extension of time of one month, extending the time for responding to the Office Action of April 1, 2003 to August 1, 2003.

A check for the statutory fee of \$110.00 is attached. The USPTO is directed and authorized to charge all required fees, except for the Issue Fee and the Publication Fee, to Deposit Account No. 19-4880. Please also credit any overpayments to said Deposit Account. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.

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